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MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY REACTIVE
TO HUMAN INOS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

(37 C.F.R. §1.115)

Please enter the following amendment:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 2, line 3; add --imprinted-- before "as artificial".

Please amend claims 3 and 10 as follows:

3(Once Amended). The method of claim 1 in which said immunoassay is selected from the group consisting of the [loci] sequences: [A-3, A-4, A3 & A4, FG, G11 and H1].
NNNVEKAPCATSSPVTQD, SPVTODDLQYHNLSKQON, NNNVEKAPCATSSPVTQD &
SPVTODDLQYHNLSKQON, PALVOGILERVVDGPTPH, GIVPFRSFWQORLHDSQH, and
RMTLVFGCRRPDEDHITO.

Claims 4 and 11, line 2; add --of-- after "essentially".

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